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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed December 19, 2001, Applicant elects, with traverse, Group IV, Claims 17 and 18, drawn to a method for determining a plurality of proteomic mixtures the presence of active target members of a group of related proteins, classified in class 436, subclass 161. Applicant would also like to request rejoinder of Groups III and V with Group IV.

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.8

I hereby certify that the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail on this date, April 19, 2002 in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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If the Examiner would like to discuss any of the issues raised in the Office Action,
Applicant's representative can be reached at (858) 677-1456. While it is not believed that any
fees are due, if the PTO finds any additional fees due, or make any credits, to Deposit Account
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Respectfully submitted,

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